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Thanks Brian. I will keep my questions to the specific then. And yes I am certainly of the opinion of more frequent monitoring, likely more than daily, but I want air monitoring experts to look closer at this, my guess is much much more frequent. But I will need to do the work to document that is justified.

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I have limited hours for FMC but can help with specific scientific questions. Please do not adopt the FMC proposed monitoring schedule. Perimeter pipe monitoring should be monthly or more frequent. Quarterly can miss too much.

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Oh ya, piece of cake.

About that, I have nearly got a project charter done, for the completion of the PCP, trying to really get a good plan of attack well thought out rather than just charge in without thinking things through. Been through a bunch of project management trainings so I am intending to try and take that kind of a planned out approach.

So you want to take a look and give me some comments? I don't know if you can squeeze some time in for that, just cuz I'm nice, because it really is RCRA work and I don't know how much I can tap you for for that. I have a meeting with my RCRA team mates to go over any comments they have on my recent version today, so maybe by early next week I will have a new version. I would also like to have some brainstorming meetings on the detailed steps of the project, the work break down structure, maybe I would be ready to do that in a few weeks, do you think you could participate by phone for that?

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Nu-West went very well – the other not so much. The property that abuts your site is very difficult to say it gently.

Now that you got trained: Do you have FMC done yet???

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All cool Brian, I hope your meeting went well, good to see you!

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I wanted to apologize for being so distracted (I was heading into a room with about 10 lawyers and few technical people) as we broke for lunch Tuesday. I feel I was rude to you because I was focused on Nu-West and couldn't place you in that group. I knew I knew you but was a complete social failure – typical for me: great memory for numbers, people/names not so much.

